



Ring Neighbors

& Computer Aided Dispatch Data

Ring Neighbors partners with local law enforcement agencies to inform their jurisdictions of active crime & safety incidents using their provided real-time CAD data. Our in-house news team monitors every alert that comes through our system and determines if they are relevant crime & safety incidents to send out to impacted neighborhoods.

What we do with CAD Data

After receiving incidents from CAD sources, our Neighbors News team will reformat the alerts and send them to impacted neighborhoods. See the example post to the right.

How we get CAD Data

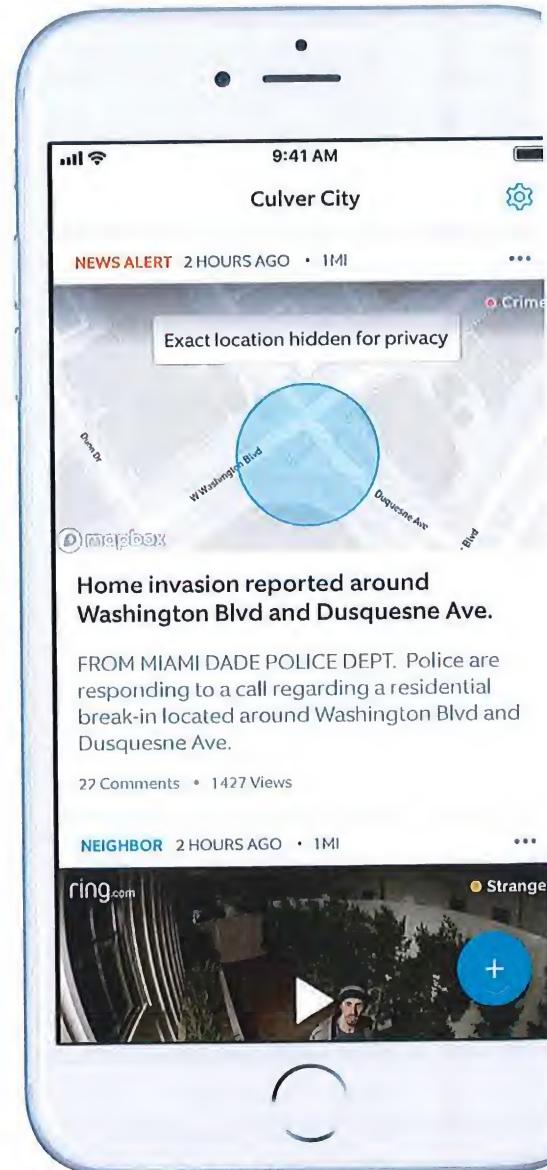
We use an API call, and ingest applicable categories and data points into our content management system, and all incidents will be edited and reviewed before being sent to our users.

The data points we need

- Direct address or lat/long
- Time of incident
- Category
- Description

We post what matters to our Neighbors

- The incident must be timely. If it is more than an hour delayed, it is too old for us to post.
- The incident must be within one of the approved crime or safety categories, otherwise we will not post.
- The incident must have either a direct location, or cross streets in order for us to post. Without a location, we don't know what localized radius to send the alert out to.
- The incident must be useful for the community at large; if it only affects an individual and does not pose as an active threat to others, we will not post.



We only post a small percentage of provided CAD Data.

Categories we cover

Burglary	Shootings
Vehicle Break-in & Theft	Stabbing
Robbery	Hostage
Shots Fired	Arson

Categories we don't cover

General Disturbance	Welfare Check
Verbal Disturbance	Commercial Alarm
Suspicious Incident	Dead Person
Suspicious Person	Property Found / Lost
Suspicious Vehicle	Lost Property
Battery	Recovered Property
Obscene / Threat Call	Criminal Mischief
Harassing Phone Call	Park Walk And Talk
Prostitution (Only)	Assist Other Agency
Rape	Assist Fire Dept.
Assault	Man Down
Other Sex Crimes	Check Well Being
Threats / Assault	911 Emergency
Unknown Trouble	Fraud
Trespasser	Illegally Parked Car
Theft	Abandoned Vehicle
Petit Theft	Domestic Dispute
Identity Theft	Drug Investigation
Fugitive from Justice	Suicide Or Attempt
Impaired / Intoxicated	Juvenile Complaint
Missing Mentally Ill	Dispute Impaired / Intoxicated
Missing Adult	Water Rescue
Recovered Missing Person	Directed Patrol
Animal Investigation	Civil Matter
Noise Complaint	Special Detail
Illegal Dumping	Information / Other
Vandalism	Bomb Threat
Citizen Assist	Hit & Run Crash
School Lockdown	Crash Involving Dispute
Assist Motorist	School Evacuation
Accident (Injuries)	Traffic Crash Person Injured
Directed Patrol	And many more...